

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

SUZUKI et al.

Serial Number: 09/338,597

Group Art Unit: 2818

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Examiner: T. PHAN

For: ELECTRONIC INSTRUMENT AND SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

July 24, 2000

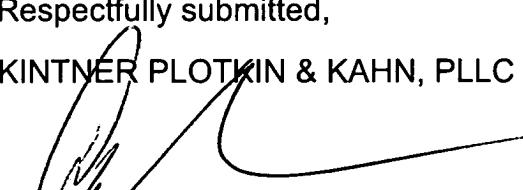
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 29, 2000, for one (1) month from June 29, 2000, to July 29, 2000.

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